

111TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# S. 479

To amend the Chesapeake Bay Initiative Act of 1998 to provide for the continuing authorization of the Chesapeake Bay Gateways and Watertrails Network.

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

FEBRUARY 25, 2009

Mr. CARDIN (for himself, Mr. WEBB, Mr. WARNER, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mr. CARPER, Mr. KAUFMAN, and Mr. CASEY) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works

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## A BILL

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1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3       **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4       This Act may be cited as the “Chesapeake Bay Gate-  
5       ways and Watertrails Network Continuing Authorization  
6       Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

2       Section 502 of the Chesapeake Bay Initiative Act of  
3 1998 (16 U.S.C. 461 note; Public Law 105–312) is  
4 amending by striking subsection (c) and inserting the fol-  
5 lowing:

6       “(c) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There  
7 are authorized to be appropriated such sums as are nec-  
8 essary to carry out this section.”.

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